



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
REGION 10  
1200 Sixth Avenue  
Seattle, WA 98101

Reply To  
Attn Of: OWW-130

MAY 31 2007

CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mike Stahl  
ConocoPhillips Alaska, Inc.  
P.O. Box 100360  
Anchorage, Alaska 99510

Re: Cook Inlet NPDES General Permit AKG-31-5000

Dear Mr. Stahl:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has reissued the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) General Permit for Oil and Gas Exploration, Development and Production Facilities Located in State and Federal Waters in Cook Inlet. Enclosed are a copy of the final General Permit, the Response to Comments document, the comment database consisting of all the comments received on the draft permit, fact sheet, and support documents, and the Final CWA 401 Certification. The notice of this action appeared in the Federal Register today, May 31, 2007. The general permit will be effective on July 2, 2007, and expire on July 2, 2012.


EPA received a permit application for the facility listed below in a timely manner prior to the expiration date of the previous permit. Therefore, your permit coverage was administratively extended and the facility is covered under the reissued general permit. Please note that the permit number has been changed.

Facility	New Permit No.
Tyonek Platform A	AKG-31-5011

This letter serves as notice under 40 CFR 124.15(a). Anyone wishing to appeal this general permit must do so in court according to 40 CFR 124.19. Interested persons may challenge the general permit, within 120 days of issuance, in the Circuit Court of Appeals of the United States under Section 509(b)(1) of the Clean Water Act.

If you have any questions regarding the general permit, please feel free to contact Hanh Shaw at (206) 553-0171.

Sincerely,

  
Michael F. Gearheard, Director  
Office of Water & Watersheds

Enclosures

cc: Sharmon Stambaugh, ADEC

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